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[Despatch Abstract.]

Public Service - Subordinate Service - Madras Ministerial Service and Madras Judicial Ministerial Service - Recruitment (Direct) - Typists and Stenotypists - Size selection of [illegible] candidates in 1948 - Relaxation of provision in paragraph 4 of G.O.No.3168 Public (Services) dated 30-10-1944 - Orders Issued.

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From
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Secretary Public Service Commission,
Madras -8.

To
The Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras.
Public (Services) Department.

No.2277-E.4/47-2, dated 27-1-1948.

Sir,

Sub:- Recruitment - Madras Ministerial Service and Madras Judicial Ministerial Service - Typists and Steno-typists - 1948.

I am to say that in June 1947 a common notification was published by the Commission inviting applications for appointment as typist and steno-typist in the Madras Secretariat Service, the Madras Ministerial Service and the Madras Judicial Ministerial Servide. Subsequently in August 1947, a supplemental notification for app appointment in the Madras Secretariat Service only, in additional vacancies estimated to arise in that service.

2. In response to the above notification, 329 qualified candidates applied and out of them 321 appeared for the competitive examination held in October 1947 in the paper on English Composition which is the test prescribed for candidates for appointment to the posts of typist and steno-typist - vide paragraph 8 of G.O.No. 3168, Public (Services), dated 30-10-1944 read with Annexure I thereof. Out of the 321 candidates who appeared for the test, 186 candidates obtained not less than 45 marks which are the minimum qualifying for selection. 55 of the successful candidates who had applied either exclusively for appointment in the Madras Secretariat Service or had preferred that service and who belonged to the required communities under the specified languages were allotted for appointment in that service and an approved list was communicated to the Chief Secretary with the Commission's letter No.5263-E.1/47-5, dated 17-11-1947.

3. The Number of vacancies estimated to arise in 1948 in the Madras Ministerial Service is 234, while the number of vacancies estimated to arise in the Madras Judicial Ministerial Service is 15 . Two separate statements showing the departmental units which the vacanci are expected to arise and the number under each unit are enclosed.

4. Excluding the candidates already allotted to the Madras Secretariat Service, the number of candidates available for allotment to the Madras Ministerial Service and Madras Judicial Miniterial Service is 131 (186-55- 131) Of these, only 95 candidates could be and have been, allotted to the Madras Ministerial Service and Madras Jundicial Ministerial Service (Madras Ministerial Service: 89; Madras Judicial Ministerial Service:6) with reference to the preference expressed by them in their applications. These 95 candidates may be classified according to their communities as shown below:-

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NAME OF COMUNITY.	TOTAL NUMBER OF CANDIDATES ALLOTTED
Christians	2
Non-Brahman (Hindus)	3
Backward Hindus	6
Brahmans	84
	95

Of the remaining 36 candidates (131-95=36), 4 are state subjects, 31 have applied for the Madras Secretariat Service alone and one has applied for the Madras Judicial Ministerial Service alone for which he could not be allotted for lack of a qualification in Shorthand. Excluding the 4 State Subjects, the 32 candidates have been directed to state whether they are willing to be allotted to the Madras Ministerial Service or the Madras Judicial Ministerial Service, as the case may be.

5. The total number of candidates required for the two services (Madras Ministerial Service & Madras Judicial Ministerial Service) and against this, only 95 candidates have been allotted as stated above. Against the balance of 154 candidates, still required, there are 133 candidates who have not obtained qualifying marks. In view of the paucity of candidates who have obtained qualifying marks, and having regard to the nature of the work for which candidates are required Commission considers that the minimum qualifying marks of 45 need not insisted upon this year and that candidates who have obtained marks lower than 45 may also be allotted. For this purpose, 25 marks will its opinion, be an appropriate minimum to adopt. If this minimum is adopted, 115 candidates classified according to their communities as shown below will also get selected.-

NAME OF COMMUNITY.	NUMBER OF CANDIDATES AVAILABLE.
Scheduled Castes	1
Muslims	2
Christians	3
Backward Hindus	16
Non-Brahman(Hindus)	28
Brahmans	65.
	115.

6. It will be seen that there is not sufficient number of candidates from the minority communities and that there is a preponderance candidates from one community. The communal rule, however, applied separately to each departmental unit, in the Madras Ministerial Service as defined in Rule 11 of the Special Rules of that service, and to each district in the Madras Judicial Ministerial Service, and the number of units in the two services in which vacancies have been estimated as 85. Successful candidates have been allotted only to 68 units and in most cases, not up to the number required.

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In view of the paucity of qualified candidates and of the application of the communal rule as stated above, th excess allotment from one community will not materially e affect the communal position in each unit. Further, the communal rule applies to the categories of typists, clerks, etc. taken together and the overallotment of candidates from any one community for appointment as typist will be taken into account and rectified as far as possible in allotting candidates for appointment as clerks.

7. If the Government agree, I am to request that the Provision in paragraph 8 of G.O.No.3168, Public (Services) dated 30-10-1944 read with Annexure I therefore may in the special circumstances of the case be relaxed thi year so as to enable the selection of candidates who posses the required technical qualification in typewriting and hav obtained not less than 25 marks at the competitive examination, for appointment as typists.

Very early orders are requested.

Yours obedient servant,

Sd/- x x x x x xx,
Secretary

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

ABSTRACT.

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Public (Services) Department.

G.O.Ms.No.264 Dated 5-2-1948.
Read the following:-

From the Secretary, Madras Public Service Commission.
No.2277-E.4/47-2, dated 27-1-1948.

O R D E R : -

In the circumstances reported by the commission in its letter read above, His Excellency the Governor of Madras hereby relaxes the provision in paragraph 8 of G.O.No.3168 Public (Services) Dated 30-10-1944 read with Annexure I thereto so as to admit of the selection of candidates, who possess the required technical qualification in typewriting and have obtained not less than 25 marks at the competitive examination for appointment as typists in the Madras Ministeria Service and the Madras Judicial Ministerial Service.

(By Order of His Excellency the Governor)

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Secretary to Government,
30-1-1948.

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